

COUNTY COUNCIL  
OF  
HARFORD COUNTY, MARYLAND

BILL NO. 09-45

Introduced by Council President Boniface at the request of the County Executive  
and Council President Boniface

Legislative Day No. 09-34 Date December 1, 2009

AN ACT to repeal and reenact, with amendments, Subsection F, Annual limit on amount of credits granted, of Section 123-44, Credit for qualifying energy conservation devices, of Article II, Real Property Tax Credits, of Chapter 123, Finance and Taxation, of the Harford County Code, as amended; to provide for an increase in the tax credit amount as part of the energy initiative.

By the Council, December 1, 2009

Introduced, read first time, ordered posted and public hearing scheduled

on: January 5, 2010

at: 6:00 p.m.

By Order: Barbara J. O'Connor, Council Administrator

**PUBLIC HEARING**

Having been posted and notice of time and place of hearing and title of Bill having been published according to the Charter, a public hearing was held on January 5, 2010, and concluded on January 5, 2010.

Barbara J. O'Connor, Council Administrator

EXPLANATION: CAPITALS INDICATE MATTER ADDED TO EXISTING LAW. [Brackets] indicate matter deleted from existing law. Underlining indicates language added to Bill by amendment. Language lined through indicates matter stricken out of Bill by amendment.

Section 1. Be It Enacted By The County Council of Harford County, Maryland that Subsection F, Annual limit on amount of credits granted, of Section 123-44, Credit for qualifying energy conservation devices, of Article II, Real Property Tax Credits, of Chapter 123, Finance and Taxation, of the Harford County Code, as amended, be, and it is hereby, repealed and reenacted, with amendments, all to read as follows:

**Chapter 123. Finance and Taxation**

**Article II. Real Property Tax Credits**

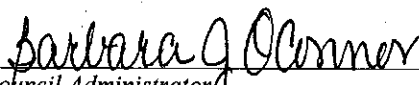
**§ 123-44. Credit for qualifying energy conservation devices.**

F. Annual limit on amount of credits granted. The total tax credit allowed by Harford County for any 1 year may not exceed [\$150,000] \$250,000. The granting of credits shall be on a first-come-first-served basis, and, when the limitation is reached, any subsequent applications will be carried over to the next succeeding year or years.

Section 2. And Be It Further Enacted that this Act shall take effect beginning July 1, 2010.

EFFECTIVE: July 1, 2010

*The Council Administrator does hereby certify that fifteen (15) copies of this Bill are immediately available for distribution to the public and the press.*

  
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Council Administrator

HARFORD COUNTY BILL NO. 09-45

Brief Title Solar Energy Tax Credit

is herewith submitted to the County Council of Harford County for enrollment as being the text as finally passed.

**CERTIFIED TRUE AND CORRECT**

Barbara J. O'Connor  
Council Administrator

Date January 5, 2010

**ENROLLED**

Billy Bonfante  
Council President

Date January 5, 2010

**BY THE COUNCIL**

Read the third time.

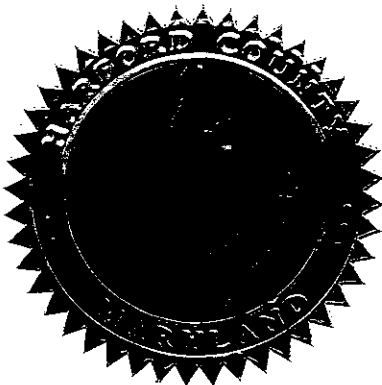
Passed: LSD 10-01

Failed of Passage: \_\_\_\_\_

By Order

Barbara J. O'Connor  
Council Administrator

Sealed with the County Seal and presented to the County Executive for approval this 6<sup>th</sup> day of January, 2010 at 3:00 p.m.



Barbara J. O'Connor  
Council Administrator

**BY THE EXECUTIVE**

David R. Craig  
COUNTY EXECUTIVE

APPROVED: Date January 15, 2010

**BY THE COUNCIL**

This Bill No. 09-45 having been approved by the Executive and returned to the Council, becomes law on January 15, 2010.

EFFECTIVE DATE: July 1, 2010

Barbara J. O'Connor  
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Council Administrator